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January 17, 2007

Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Office of Conservation  
P. O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: 8800' Sand, Reservoir BAB  
**LAFITTE FIELD**  
Jefferson Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Stone Energy Corporation to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 8800' Sand, Reservoir BAB, in the Lafitte Field, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana.

1. To dissolve the LFT 8800' RBAB SU, in the Lafitte Field as established by Office of Conservation Order No. 76-EE, effective March 1, 1973, and simultaneously therewith, to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 8800' Sand, Reservoir BAB, designated as the 8800' RBAB SUA, as shown on the plat attached hereto.

2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.

3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created.

4. To provide that the 8800' Sand, Reservoir BAB, should be exempt from the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.

5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the 8800' Sand, Reservoir BAB, by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.

6. To discuss any other matters that may be pertinent to this application.

The 8800' Sand, Reservoir BAB, in the Lafitte Field, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between 9,140' and 9,258' electric log measured depths (8,886' to 8,779' - true vertical depths) in the Stone Energy Corporation - LL & E No. 202 (ST) Well (SN 233213), located in Section 20, Township 17 South, Range 24 East, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana.

In addition to furnishing the legal notice to all Interested Parties, the applicant will provide for POSTING of the legal notice of the hearing and unit plat in a prominent place in the area of the Lafitte Field, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, and will cause the legal notice of the hearing to be PUBLISHED in a newspaper of general circulation published in the vicinity of the Lafitte Field, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing date.

Any pertinent data relating to the subject application can be obtained, **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY**, from Bill McAlister at Leon E. Comeaux & Associates, P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, Louisiana 70505, (337-233-9839).

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure, a preapplication notice was given, but no request for a conference was received, and therefore, none was held.

There are attached hereto and made a part hereof a plat outlining the proposed unit and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties and proposed unit plat (being the same plat attached to the January 4, 2007 notice) are being furnished **ONLY** to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, said plat and the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant, Stone Energy Corporation, in the sum of \$1510.00 payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOCIATES



Bill McAlister

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson  
Office of Conservation  
825 Kaliste Saloom Rd.  
Brandywine III, Suite 220  
Lafayette, Louisiana 70508

Interested Parties, Interested  
Owners and Represented Parties

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LL&E NO. 202 (ST)  
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EXHIBIT NO.

DOCKET NO.

STONE ENERGY CORP.

LAFITTE FIELD  
JEFFERSON PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT  
8800' SAND  
Geology by: William S. McAlister, Jr.

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DATE:

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